SAFETY DATA SHEET



* 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Material	BIOTENE ORAL BALANCE GEL
Synonym(s)	MFC: LACLEDE 30700102L * ORAL CARE, FORMULATED PRODUCT
Company Name	
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	2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Fire and Explosion Hazards	
	Expected to be non-combustible.
Health	Handling this product in its final form presents minimal risk from occupational exposure. Health effects information is based on hazards of components.
Environment	No information is available about the potential of this product to produce adverse environmental effects.

* 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	CAS #	Percent	EC-No.
NON-HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS	S Unassigned	100	
	4. FIRST-All	D MEASUI	RES
Ingestion	exposed subject is uncons	cious or semi-co	attempt to give any solid or liquid by mouth if the onscious. Wash out the mouth with water. If the enty of water to drink. Obtain medical attention.
Inhalation	Physical form suggests that	at risk of inhalati	on exposure is negligible.

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Skin contact	Using appropriate personal protective equipment, remove cor exposed area with large amounts of water. Obtain medical att may be immediate or delayed.	
Eye contact	Wash immediately with clean and gently flowing water. Contine medical attention.	nue for at least 15 minutes. Obtain
NOTES TO HEALTH PROFESSI	ONALS	
Medical Conditions Caused or Aggravated by Exposure	None for occupational exposure.	
Antidotes	No specific antidotes are recommended.	
	5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES	

Fire and Explosion Hazards	Not expected for the product, although the packaging is combustible.
Extinguishing Media	Water is recommended for fires involving packaging.
Special Firefighting Procedures	For single units (packages): No special requirements needed. For larger amounts (multiple packages/pallets) of product: Since toxic, corrosive or flammable vapours might be evolved from fires involving this product and associated packaging, self contained breathing apparatus and full protective equipment are recommended for firefighters. If possible, contain and collect firefighting water for later disposal.
Hazardous Combustion Products	Toxic, corrosive or flammable thermal decomposition products are expected when the product is exposed to fire.
	6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Decontamination Procedures	No specific decontamination or detoxification procedures have been identified for this product.
Clean-up Methods	Collect and place it in a suitable, properly labelled container for recovery or disposal.
Environmental Precautions	For large spills, take precautions to prevent entry into waterways, sewers, or surface drainage systems.
Personal Precautions	Wear protective clothing and equipment consistent with the degree of hazard.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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General Requirements	No special control measures required for the normal handling of this product. Normal room ventilation is expected to be adequate for routine handling of this product.
STORAGE	No storage requirements are considered necessary for the control of fire and explosion hazards.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Procedures	
Other Equipment or	None required for normal handling. Wash hands and arms thoroughly after handling.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

Physical Form

Gel.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	This product is expected to be stable.	
Conditions to Avoid	None for normal handling of this product.	
	11. TOXICOLOGY INFORMATION	

Routes of Exposure	
Oral Toxicity	Non-toxic following ingestion.
Inhalation Toxicity	No studies have been conducted.
Skin Effects	Irritation is not expected following direct contact.
Eye Effects	Irritation is not expected following direct contact with eyes.
Sensitisation	Sensitisation (allergic skin reaction) is not expected.
Genetic Toxicity	Not expected to be genotoxic under occupational exposure conditions.
Carcinogenicity	No components are listed as carcinogens by GSK, IARC, NTP or US OSHA.
Reproductive Effects	Not expected to produce adverse effects on fertility or development under occupational exposure conditions.
Other Adverse Effects	None known for occupational exposure.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Summary

No information is available about the potential of this product to produce adverse environmental effects. Local regulations and procedures should be consulted prior to environmental release.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Recommendations	Collect for recycling or recovery if possible. The disposal method for rejected products/returned goods must ensure that they cannot be re-sold or re-used.
Regulatory Requirements	Observe all local and national regulations when disposing of this product.
	14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The SDS should accompany all shipments for reference in the event of spillage or accidental release. Only authorised persons trained and competent in accordance with appropriate national and international regulatory requirements may prepare dangerous goods for transport.

UN Classification and Labelling

Transport Information

Transportation and shipping of this product is not restricted. It has no known, significant hazards requiring special packaging or labelling for air, maritime, US or European ground transport purposes.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

The information included below is an overview of the major regulatory requirements. It should not be considered to be an exhaustive summary. Local regulations should be consulted for additional requirements.

EU Classification and Labelling Exempt from requirements of EU Dangerous Preparations directive - product regulated as a medicinal product, cosmetic product or medical device.		
US OSHA Standard (29 CFR Par	t 1910.1200)	
Classification	This product is exempt from the requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard.	
Other US Regulations		
TSCA Status	Exempt	
16. OTHER INFORMATION		
References	GSK Hazard Determination	
SDS Version Number	1	
SDS Sections Updated		
Sections	Subsections	
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